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**Feudalism Explained**

**(Mills, pp 144-149)**

Read pp. 144-149 of Mills.

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| 1. Write down words you do not know the meaning of/are unsure of their meaning: |
| 1. According to p. 145, “Feudalism developed differently in different countries, but there were certain principles that all forms of feudalism had in common.” What were those common principles? (Please put this information in your own words!) |
| 1. According to the last paragraph on p. 145, “certain services were common to all vassals everywhere.” What were these services? |
| 1. a) What does “paying homage mean” (see the bottom of p. 146)?   b) How did “vassals” (people who served the lord) pay homage to their lord? |
| 1. Read pp. 147-148 carefully. What was the Truce of God? |
| 1. Why was the Truce of God created? |